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1. The district prison in Nis is located in the yard of the district court on Vozdova Street in Nis. The prison has eight large rooms and several cells. The director of the prison is Srba Mitic.
2. In January 1952 there were 31 prisoners in room No. 10 of the prison:
  - a. Five had been sentenced for attempting to escape from Yugoslavia.
  - b. Six had been sentenced for failing to surrender products to the government.
  - c. Four had been imprisoned for their anti-Communist activities as members of the anti-Communist organization "Beli Orao" (White Eagle) in Leskovac. Among these four were Jovan Jovanovic, 29, a farmer from Leskovac who had been sentenced to 11 years imprisonment, and a certain Oika Sava, who had been sentenced to nine years imprisonment. In other rooms of the prison there were 14 other members of the organization who had been given prison sentences.
  - d. Two Bulgarian refugees.
  - e. Fourteen prisoners who had been sentenced for minor offenses.
3. The prisoners were used as laborers in various government enterprises.

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